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May 18, 2004

To the Class of 2004:

First and foremost, it is with great pleasure that I congratulate the members of the Class of 2004 on their many achievements, made possible by their hard work, commitment to learning, supportive relationships with each other and a genuine desire to succeed.

I also wish to express my appreciation to the faculty and staff of Saint Michael's for their dedication to the College and the Class of 2004. Their involvement has contributed greatly to the lifelong process of your education. In turn, staff and faculty have benefited from your presence during the past four years. This volume of the *Hilltop* will always be a positive reminder of and tribute to our shared experiences and the contributions of those departed from the Saint Michael's College campus.

It is my hope that your time here at Saint Michael's will continue to enrich your lives far into the future. You have my best wishes for success in all your endeavors.

Congratulations!

Sincerely,

Marc A. vanderHeyden
President

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"Some succeed because they are destined to, but most succeed because they are determined to."

-Anonymous

The 2004 Yearbook has been dedicated to...

Raymond Patterson

Assistant Professor of Religious Studies

Thank you,

From the class of 2004




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Senior Address

If These Walls Could Talk...

If these walls could talk. While I'm glad they stand silent as my grandmother sits in the crowd, I often wish they would strike up a conversation with me. What would your walls say about you? While the walls of Founders Hall could tell us about the Edmundites building the foundation of this school like an aging professor, the walls of Canterbury and Pontigny share the excitement of blank pages like an incoming freshman. The walls of the 300s tell of cookouts, parties and late nights while over in Lyons they warn how the walk over on a Saturday night seems much shorter than the walk back on Sunday morning.

The fact is, however, that these walls can talk and they will continue to talk to us as long as they stand. If you don't believe me, wait until you cross the front gates after being away for a few years. Wait until you step inside Alliot, and when you sit in the bathroom immediately after eating there. You may not hear them speaking to you, but you will feel it. You will feel the memories rushing back to you. Coming in that entryway you will remember what it was like being a scared 18 year old going to college for the first time and having 30 lunatic orientation leaders blowing whistles in your face. Sitting in Alliot you will almost hear the cups dropping and Lou coming to tell you to cut it out. I can almost hear it now, "What's the call here?"

The beauty of it is that every person hears a different story. If my walls could talk, I know the stories they would be telling the most. It wouldn't be the stories of wine, women and vice, though there are a few of those. It wouldn't be the stories of exams, studying or of that one bad test score, though there are a few of those as well. Instead, I know the stories I will be hearing will be about talks that end with the sun coming up. Or maybe a few words about not questioning whether to drive all over the northeast to a hospital bed, funeral service or simply for a great road trip. These are the stories you tell your children, these are the stories that matter.

So, when we leave here today bring a piece of these walls with you, and with it a piece of us all. Every time you look at it, touch it or talk to it on those lonely Vermont evenings, we will be right back together again. But it is time for us to build new walls with new memories to tell. We have new careers, families, happiness and tragedy ahead of us. We have new worlds to see, new adventures to embark on and new failures to accept. But as long as I have this piece of my past with me, I will never go at it alone.

So I would like to end by thanking all of you for adding a piece to my wall, and for smashing a few holes in it as well. Thank you for the talks, the walks, the casuals, canon ball, nudity, support, and love but most importantly for just being there. Never in our four years here did we go at anything alone, and I don't think we will ever have to again. Thank you to all the staff, faculty and administrators. Thanks to all the foxes and the big boys. But most importantly thanks to all the families out there, without you we would never be where we are today. Not just because you are footing a pretty hefty tab, but also because your support and unconditional love is what gets us through it all. So to everyone out there, I offer a sincere thank you from the bottom of my heart. I'll be packing at townhouse 102 all day, so please don't leave without at least giving a honk. I will miss you more than you could ever know. I love you.

-Zachary Cook



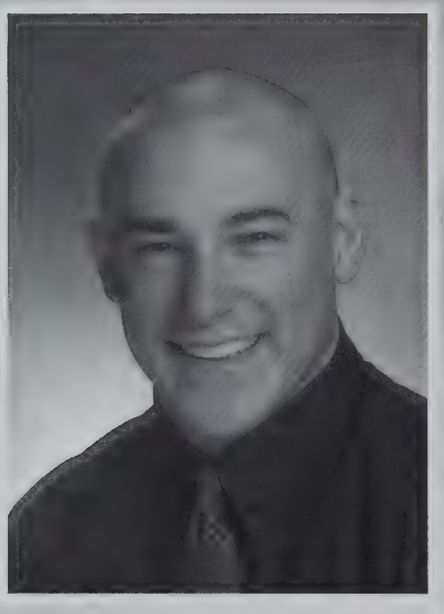
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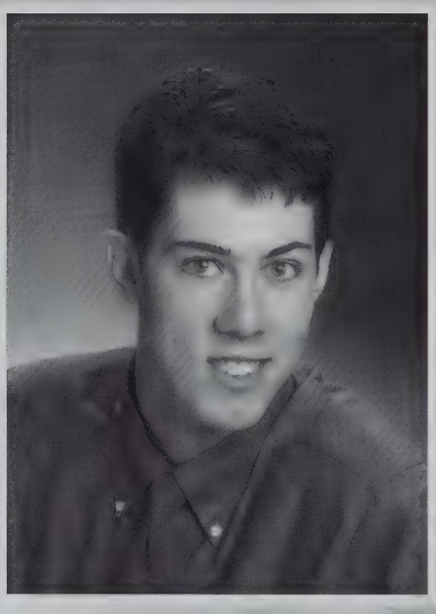
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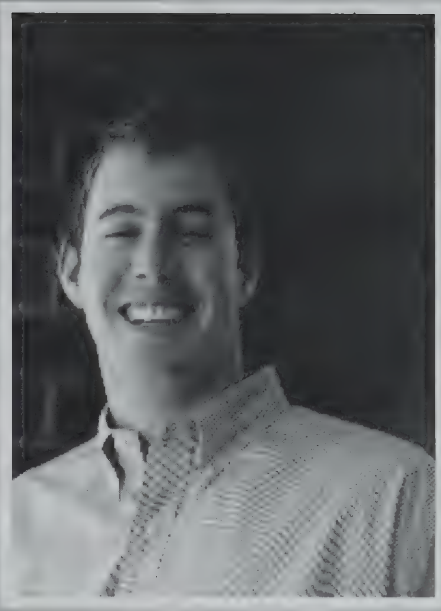
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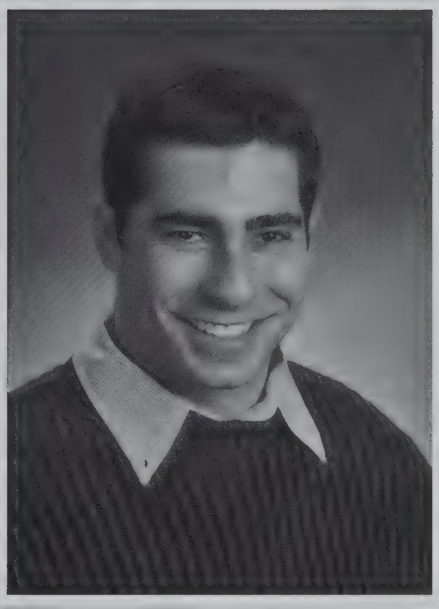
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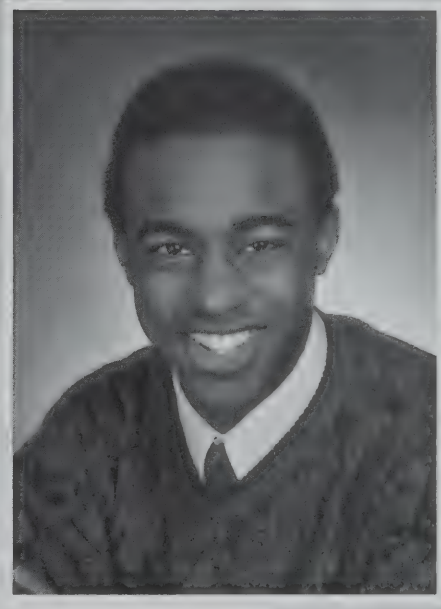
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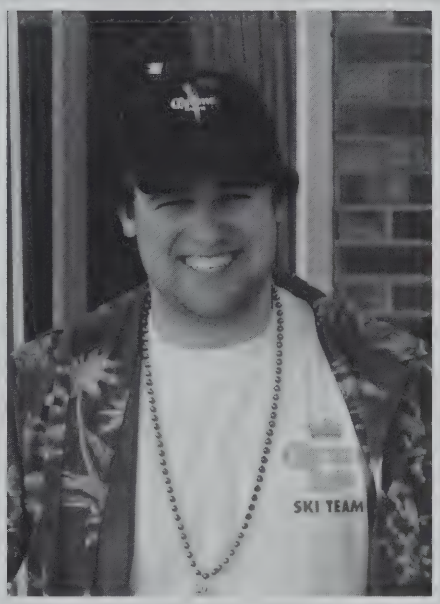
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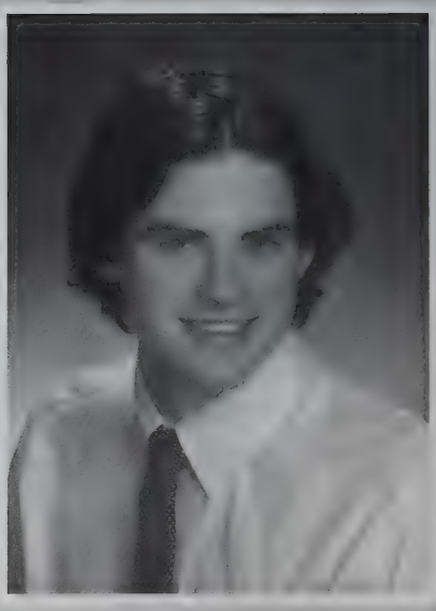
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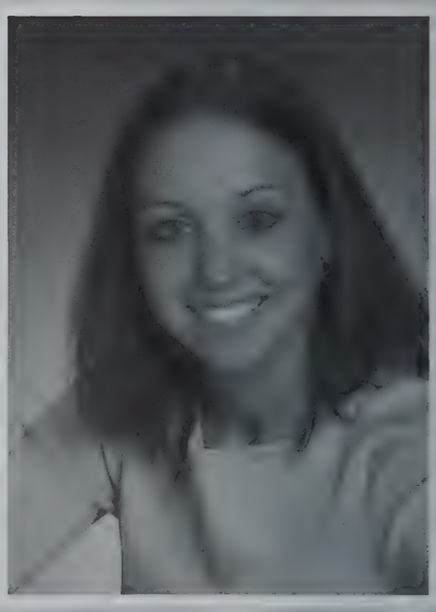
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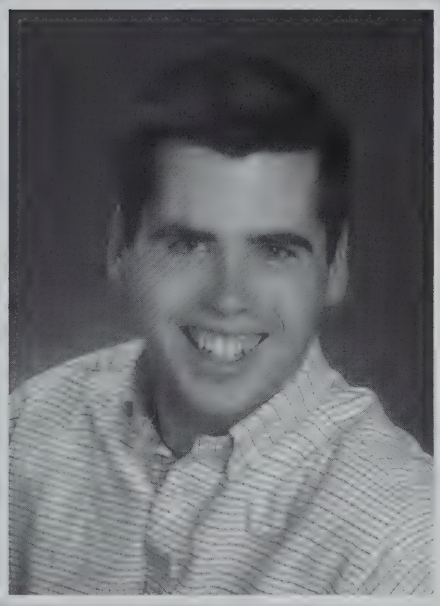
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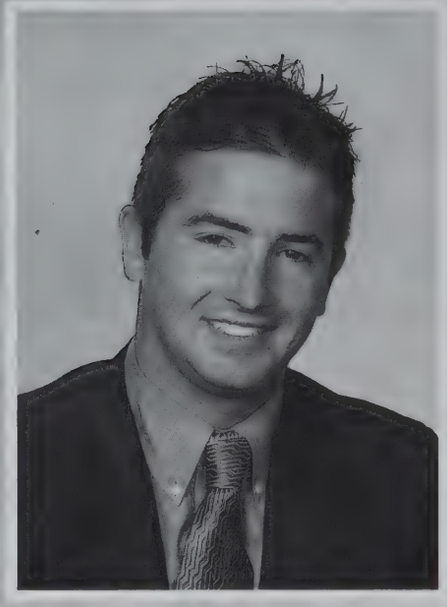
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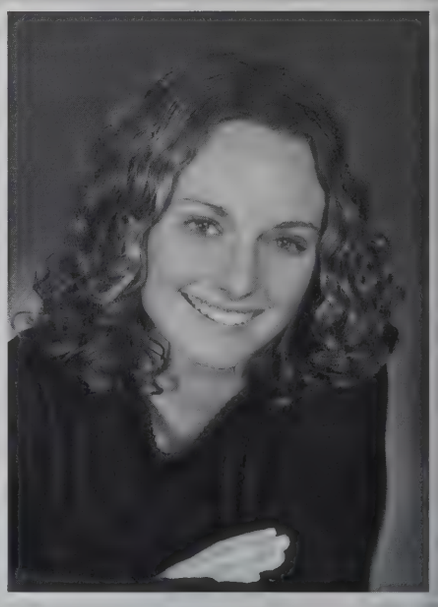
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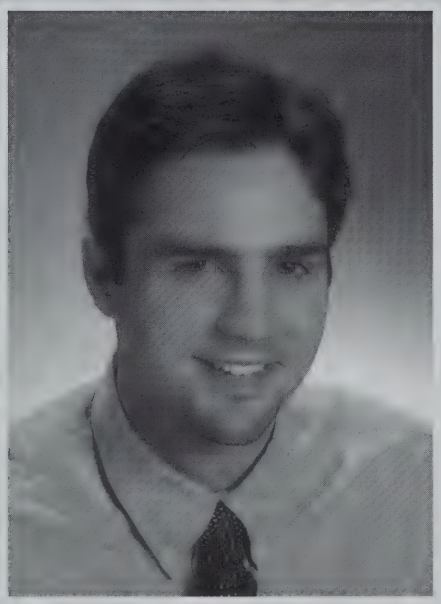
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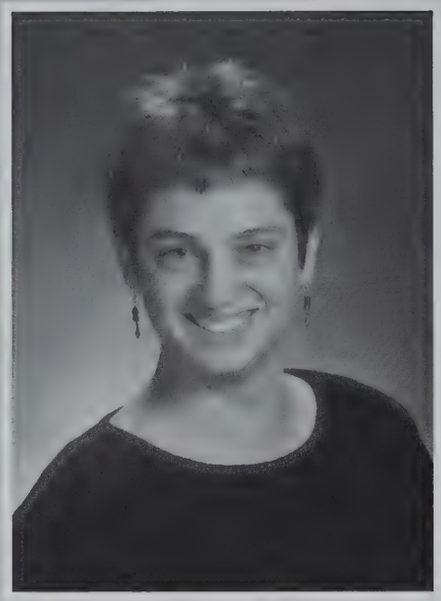
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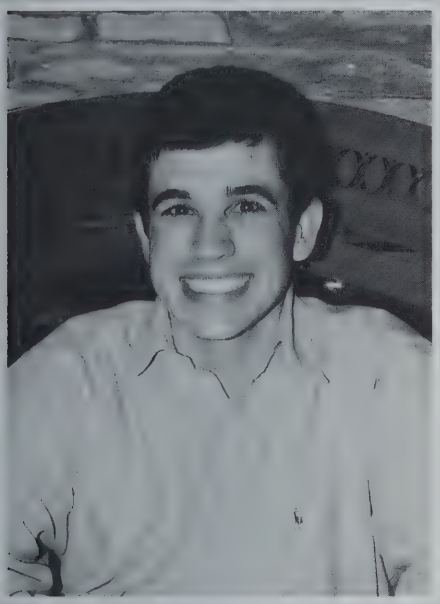
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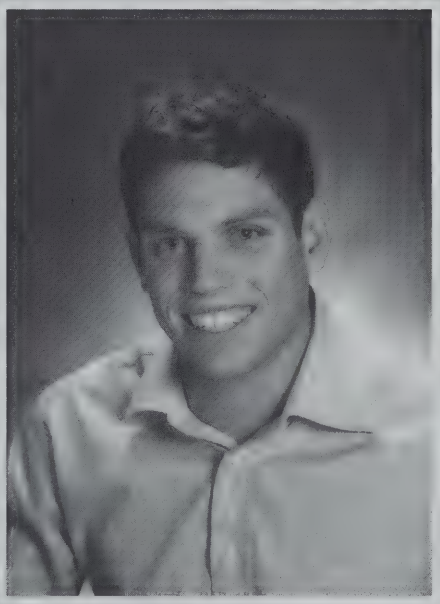
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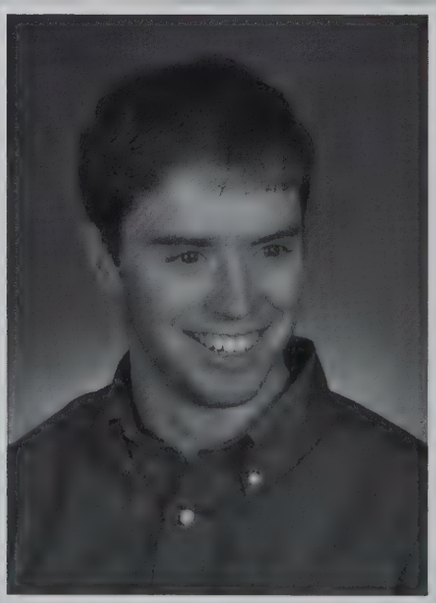
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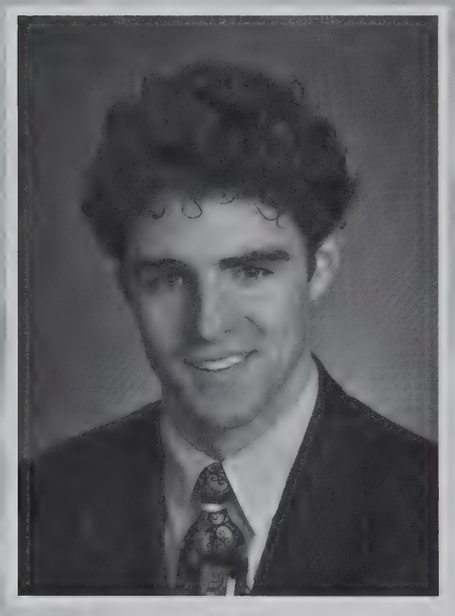
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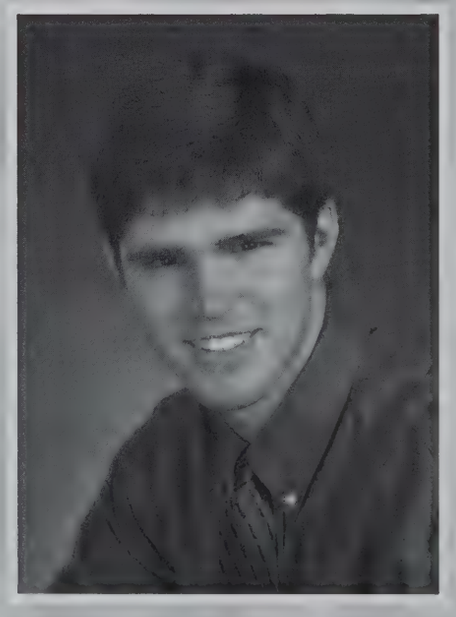
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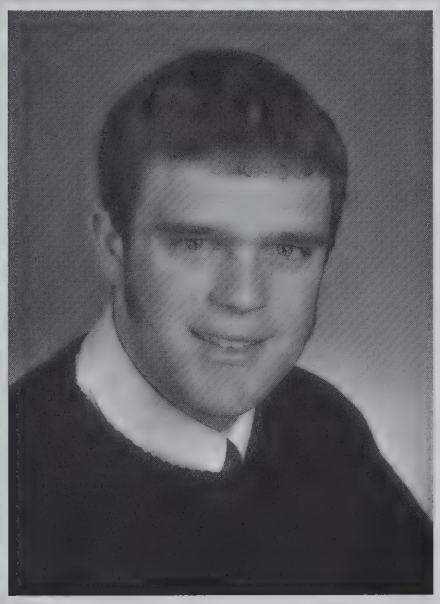
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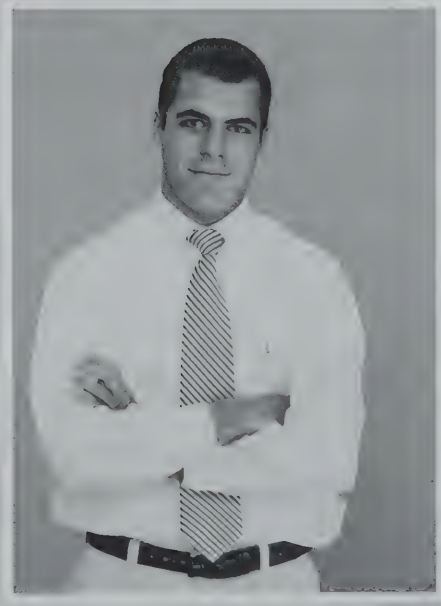
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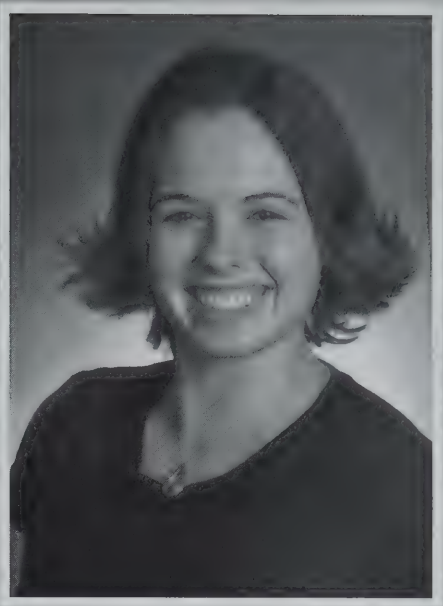
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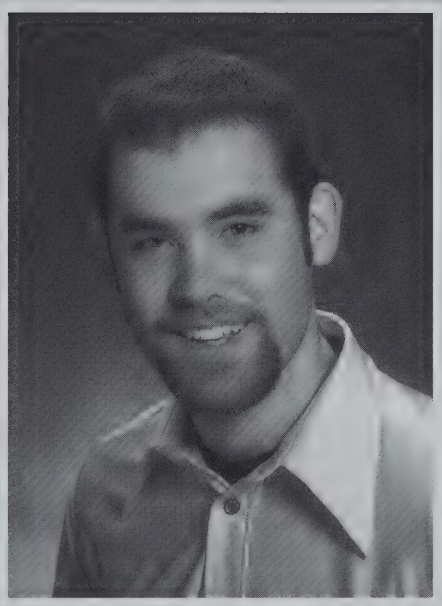
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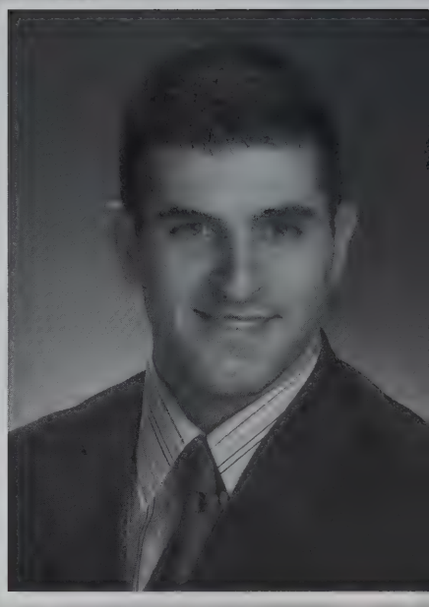
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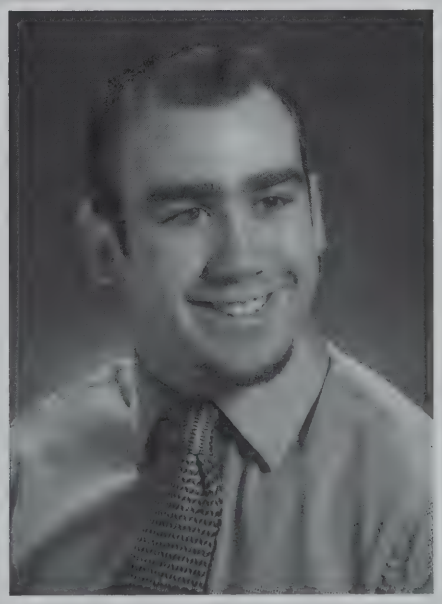
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NAMED ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIPS

Saint Michael's College is fortunate to have dozens of alumni, parents, friends and foundations that have established endowed scholarships. Through their foresight and. generosity, these benefactors have provided a permancnt source of scholarship assistance that benefits scores of Saint Michael's students. The College con-gratulates the graduating seniors who have reccived these prestigious scholarships.

The Class of 1989 Memorial Award: Mark Hollis Corbin

Established by the Class of 1989 in memory of Brian Varjabedian, JeffHoustin, and other deceased classmates, preference is given to seniors who have been involvcd in either campus or other community activities.

The Class of 1990 Norbert Kuntz Memorial Scholarship: Joseph Randall Bigelow

Established through the generosity and love of the family, friends, and the Class of 1990 to honor Saint Michael's professor and historian Dr. Norbert Kuntz, this scholarship is awarded to a junior or senior with high academic achievement and potential. Preference is given to History or American Studies majors who are involved in community activities.

The Class of 1993 Memorial Scholarship: Holly Elizabeth Leon

This scholarship was established as a Senior Class Gift in memory of the deceased members of the class. This endowed scholarship award of partial tuition is given to an upper class student, preferably a senior, with a record of extra curricular involvement, community sen'ice, and academic achievement.

The George I. Alden Trust: Janelle Marie Berte, Kcrrie Ann Ward

In response to a successful scholarship challenge grant, the George 1. Alden Trust of Worcester, Massachusetts, recognized the College with an endowed scholarship to provide a perpetual source of revenue for financial aid. This scholarship is awarded to students from Worcester and greater Eastern Massachusetts.

The Anton Science Honor Scholarship: Ryan Peter Larson

A gift of Dr. Raymond J. Anton '66, this scholarship is presented to science majors in their senior year based on the recommendation of the department chair following significant academic achievement, and potential for career success. This tuition scholarship award recognizes proficiency by science majors, preferably concentra-tors in Biology.

The Urban L. Bergeron Scholarship: Danielle Anna Beckert

This scholarship is awarded to a Vermont resident ITom Chittenden County who has demonstrated financial need and renewed annually, contingent upon satisfactory academic progress. Ben Bergeron'39 was an Emeritus member of the College's Board of Trustees and as publisher of the Burlington Free Press helped to establish thc College's journalism department.

The Boutin Family Scholarship: Stephanie Marie Huckins

This scholarship was established by Joseph L. Boutin '69, a college trustee. Intent on helping students expe-rience a Saint Michael's education, he chose an endowed scholarship as his way of honoring his parents Bernard and Alice Boutin. A 1945 Saint Michael's graduate and a 1963 Honorary Degree recipient, Dr. Bernard Boutin served his alma mater as President from 1969 to 1974.

The Monsignor W. J. Cain and Paul Cain Memorial Scholarship: Jessica Lynn Tatro, Jennifer Lynn Thygescn

This fund provides scholarships for students from Vermont who might otherwise be unable to attend Saint Michael's College.

The Guy J. Chamberlain '50 Scholarship: Jessica Mary McEachern, Joshua Kyle Vaillancourt

This fund was established through a bcquest to assist young people to further themselves. Awards are made to students based upon academic ability.

The Cioffi Family Scholarship: Philippe Daniel Charles

Established by Ralph Cioffi '78, this scholarship is awarded to support children of men and women killed in Iraq and/or Mghanistan while serving the United States in the armed services. In the event that a scholar meeting this criteria is not available, it will then be awarded to incoming first-year students from Rice High School, Burlington, VT; Mount Saint Joseph High School, Rutland, VT; Dwight Morrow High School, Englewood, NJ; All Hallows Institute, Bronx, NY. In the e\'ent that a scholar meeting any of the aforemen-tioned criteria is not available, the Cioffi Sholarship will be awarded to a Vermont student with demonstrated financial need.

Community Service Awards: Janet Lynn Colby, Molly Elizabeth Lydon, Laura Beth McDaniel, Corinne Ryan O'Connor, Jodi Lauren Wolfe
The community service awards are given to seniors who have involved themselves in the activities of the College community and the local community in an exemplary way.

Donald Sutton Community Service Award: Patrick James Kernan

This award is presented in recognition of Don Sutton's 26 years of service and contributions to the Saint Michael's community as the founder of the Saint Michael's Fire and Rescue program. This award is given to a senior who has exemplified Don's high ideals and level of commitment.

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Alexander Bruce MacDonald	President
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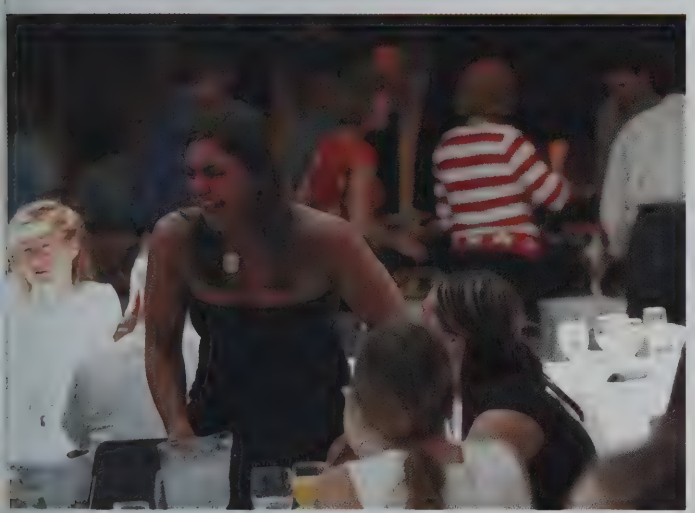

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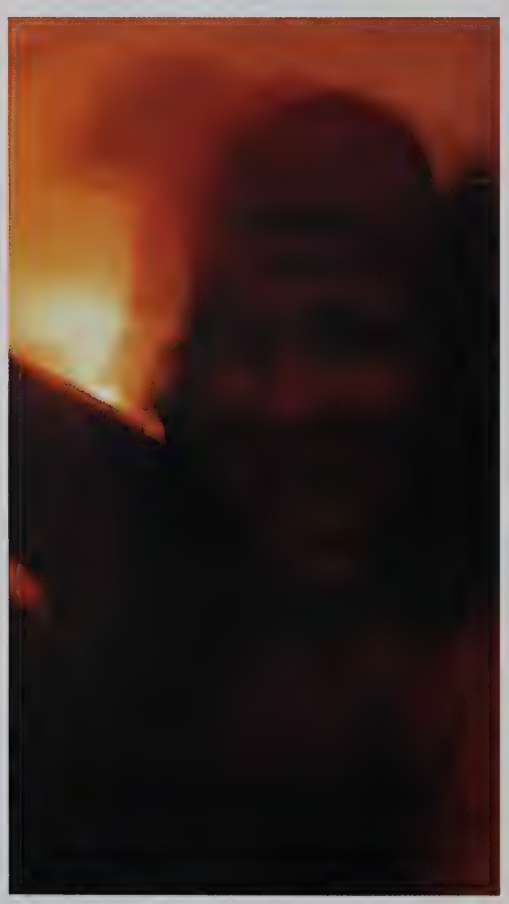
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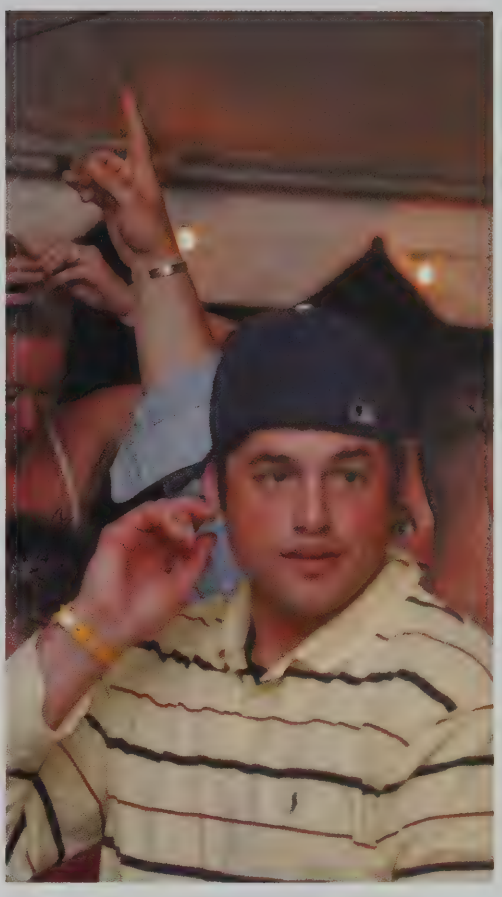












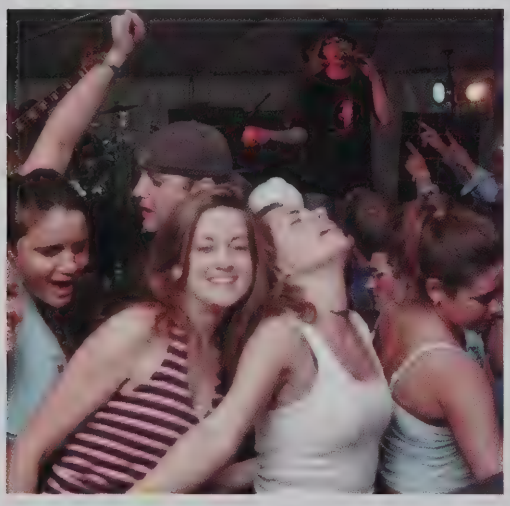





















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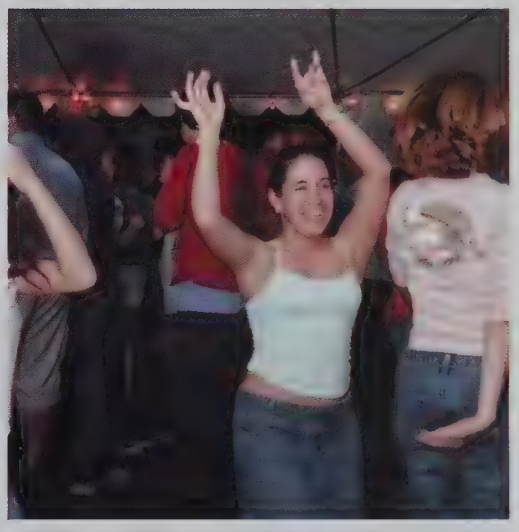


























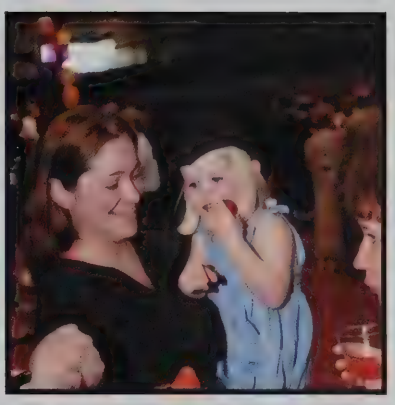















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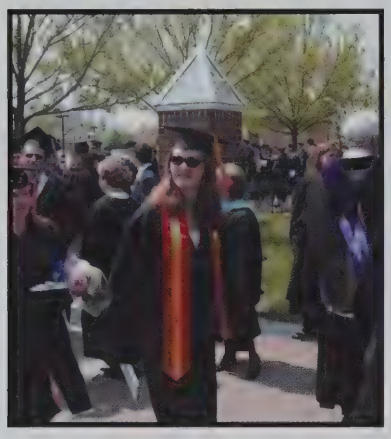



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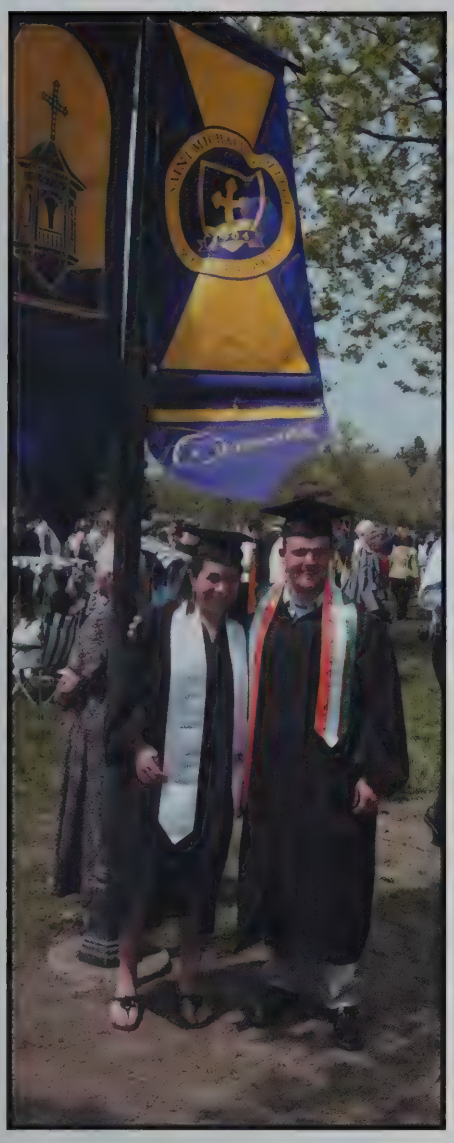
















Orientation 2003



























Halloween




















Marines
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Extended Service

"You must be the change you wish to see in the world".

-Mohandas Gandhi









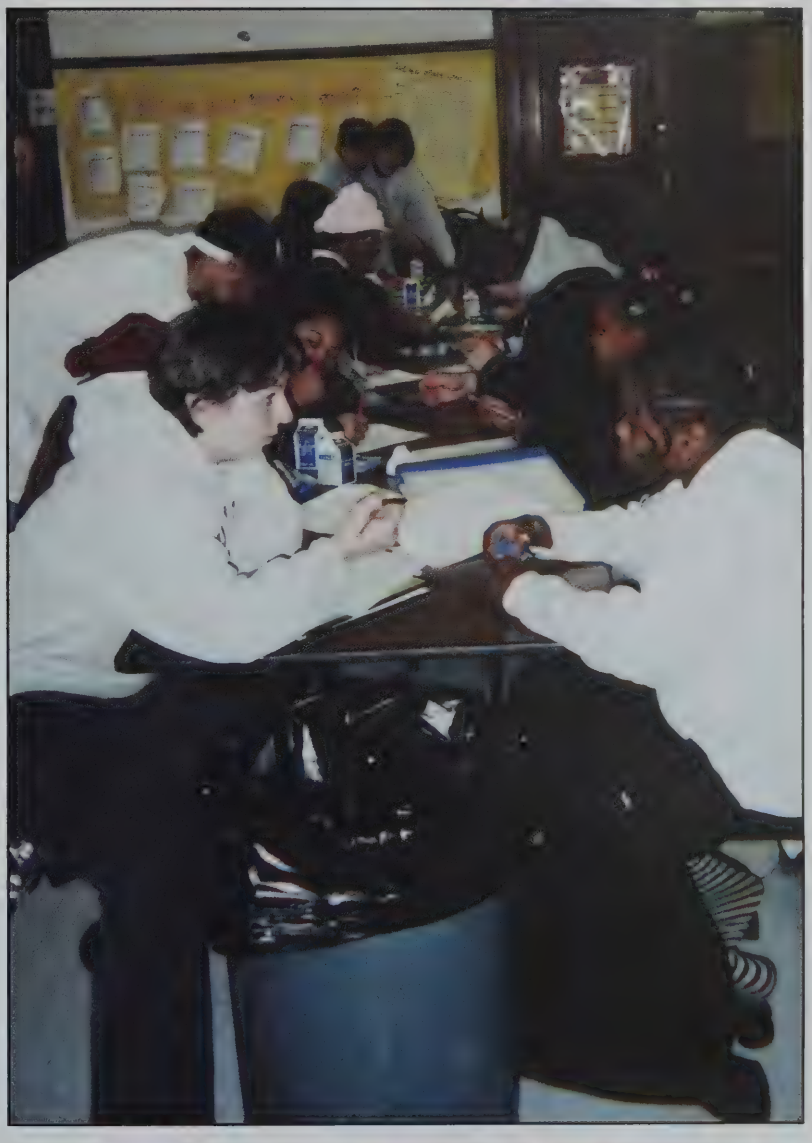













San Juan





Think Globally...

MOVE

...Act Locally

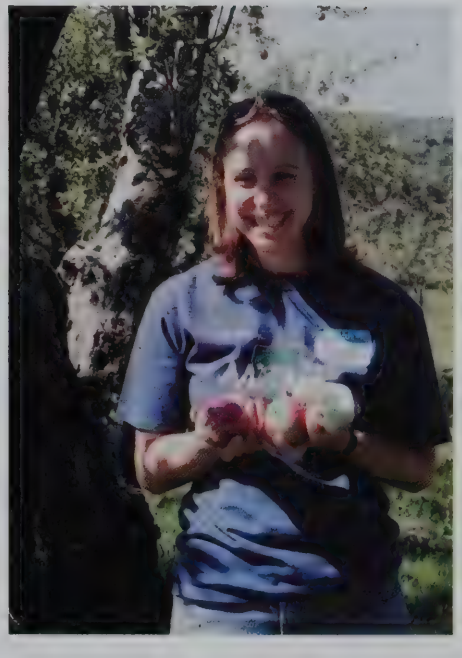
Mobilization Of Volunteer Efforts















"The greatest acts of love are done by those who are habitually performing small acts of kindness."

-Anonymous











Residence Life





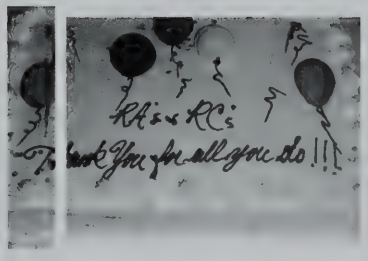








"Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful committed citizens can change the world. Indeed it's the only thing that ever has".
-Margaret Mead









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Community Doesn't Just Happen...
We Build It!







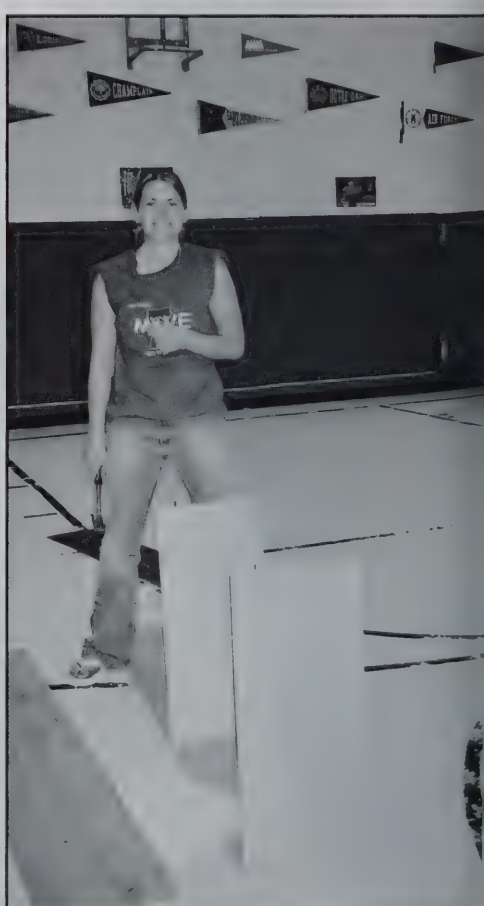






















"A friend is someone who understands your past, believes in your future, and accepts you today just the way you are!"

-Anonymous





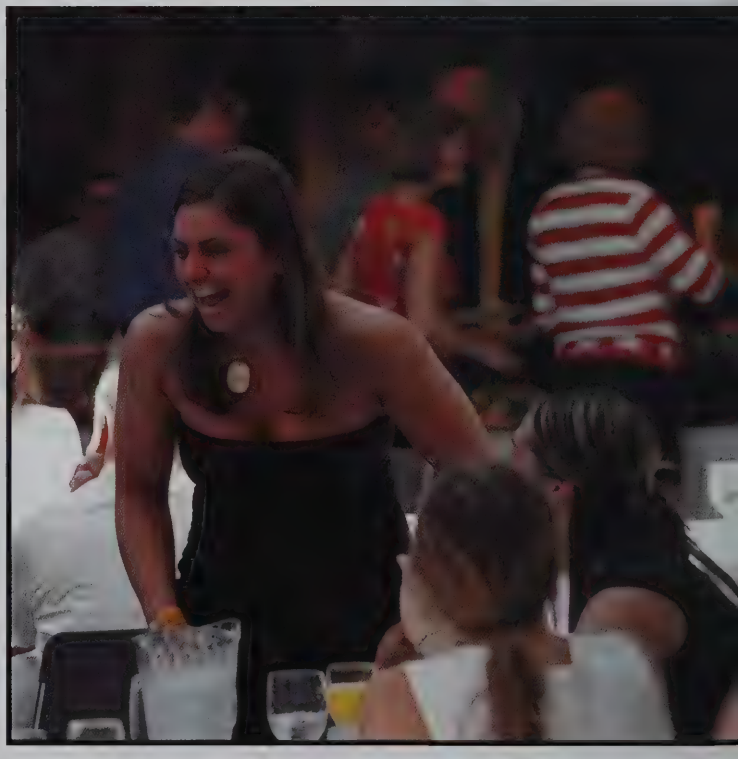


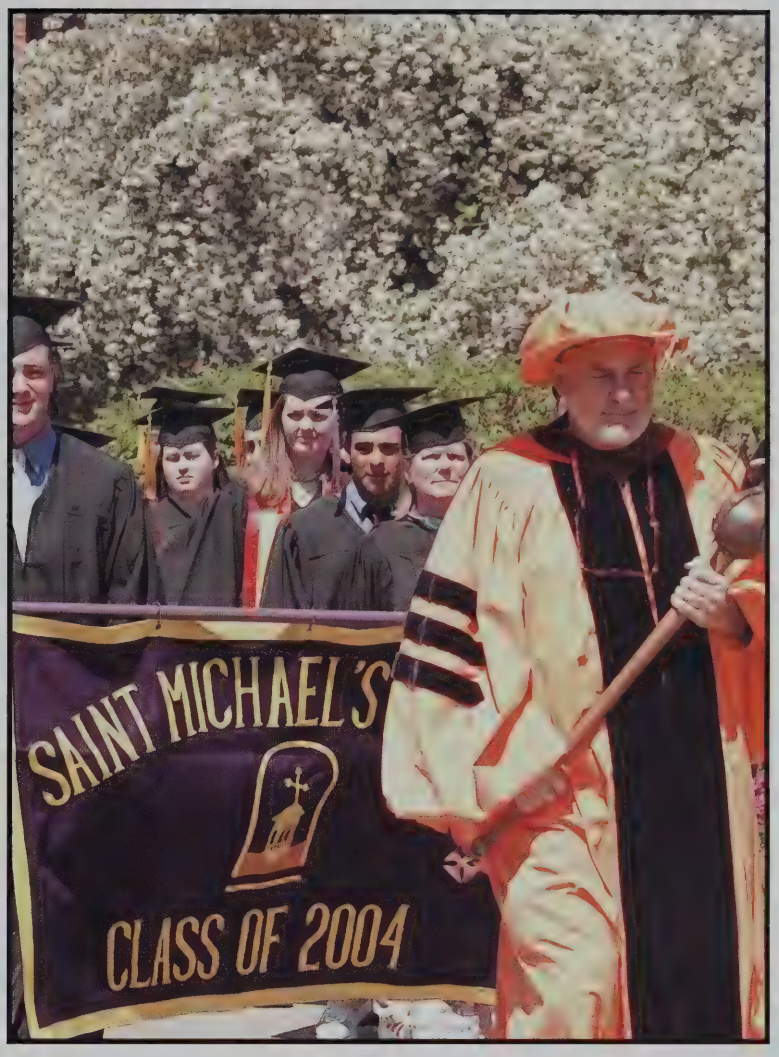

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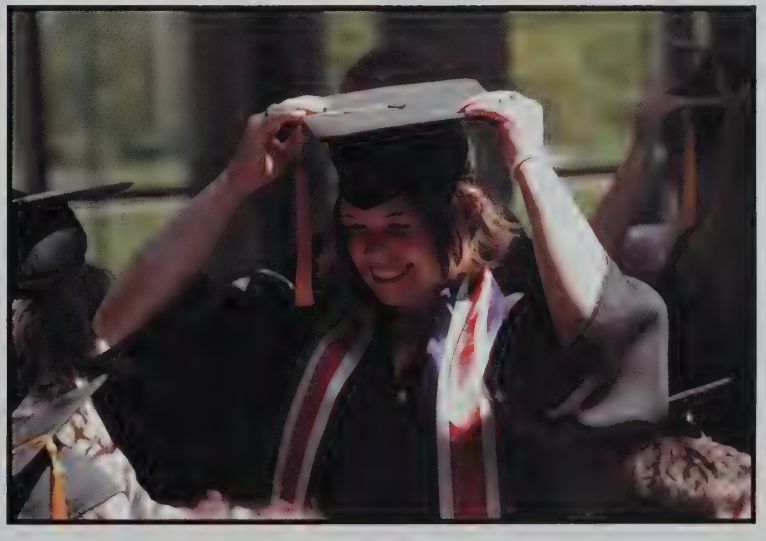





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"Laughter is a tranquilizer with no side effects".

-Arnold Glasow







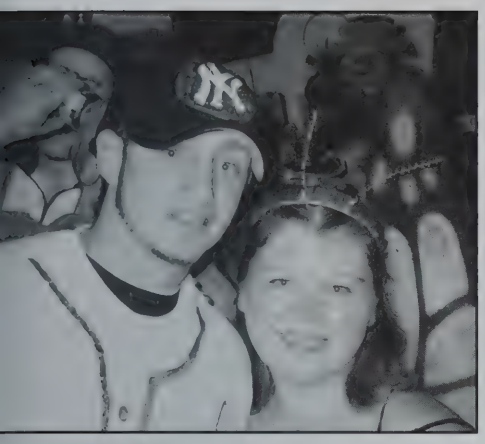


















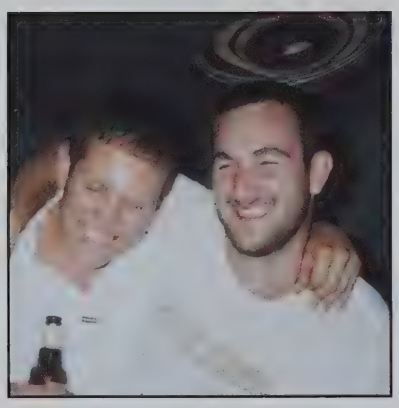













DAVE MATTHEWS












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"Those who bring sunshine to the lives of others cannot keep it from themselves".

-James Barrie













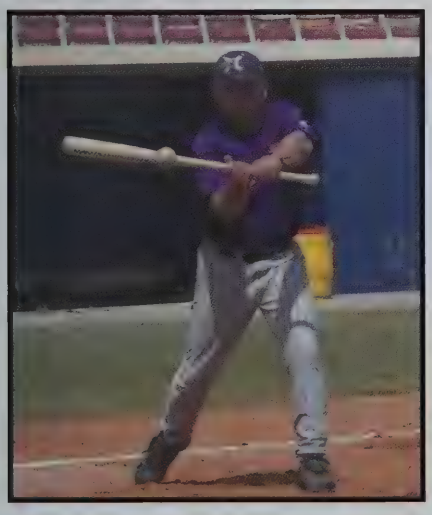
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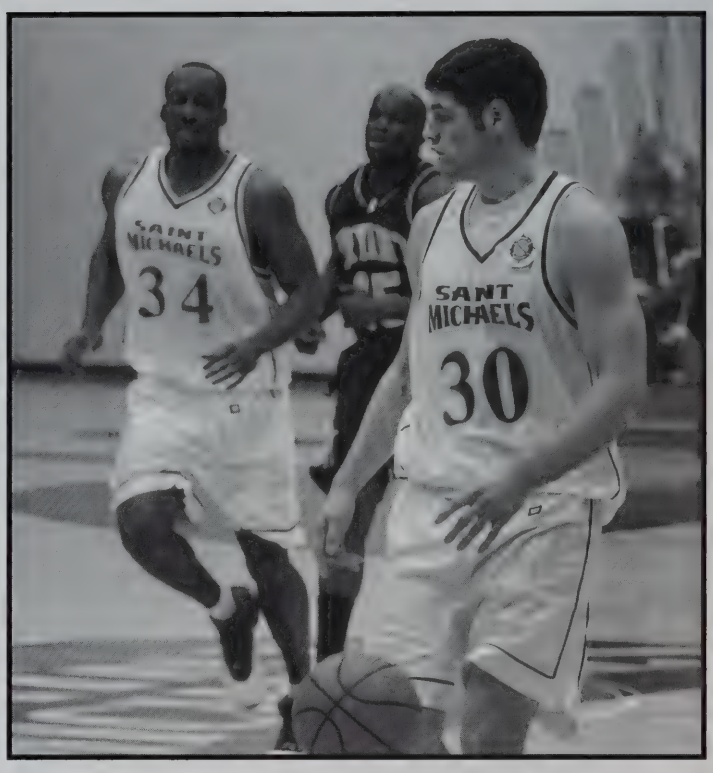
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BASEBALL



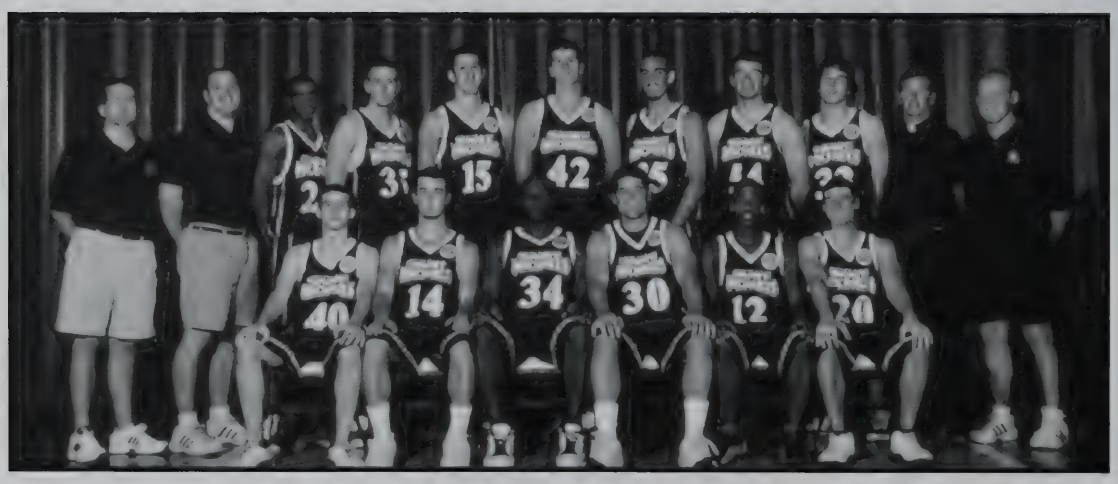








Men's Basketball





Women's Basketball





Men's Cross Country

Women's Cross Country



Field Hockey











Golf

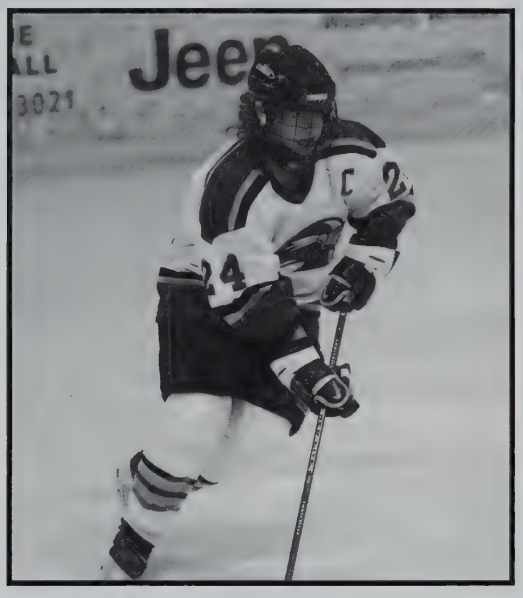




Men's Ice Hockey



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ICE HOCKEY



Women's Ice Hockey



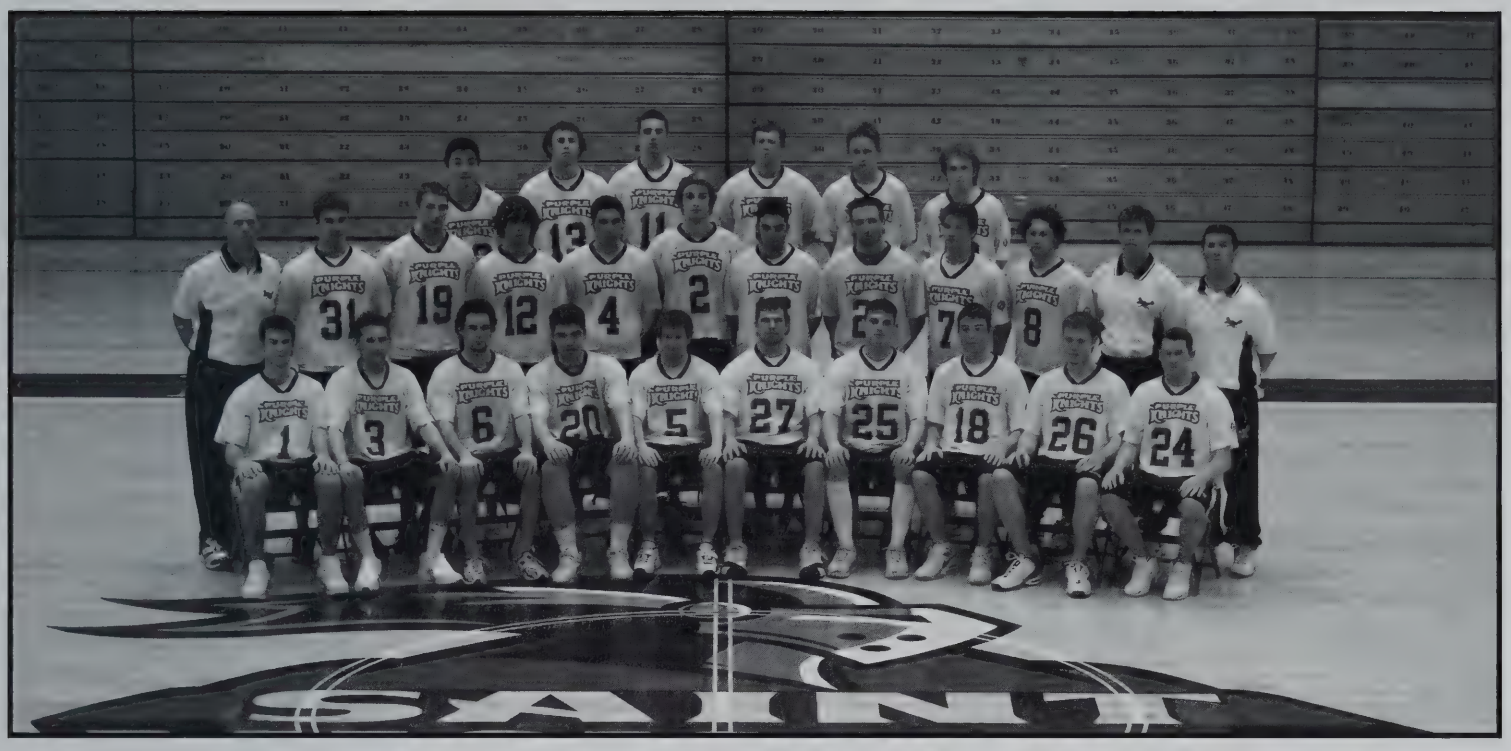






Women's Lacrosse





Men's Lacrosse







Nordic Skiing

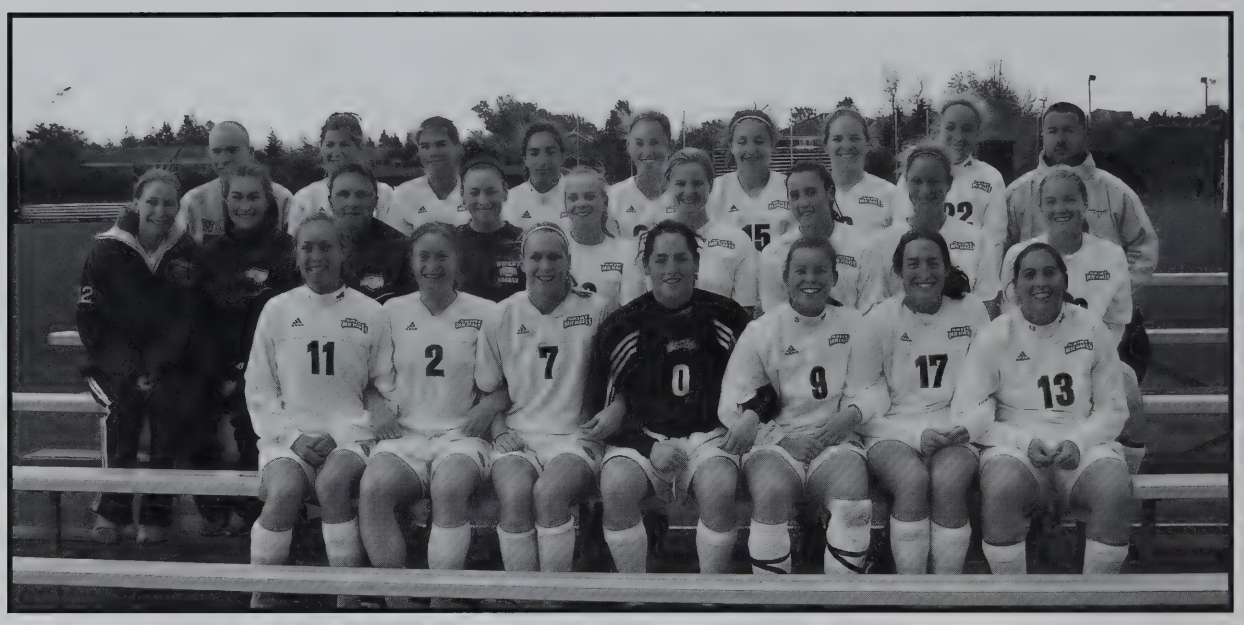




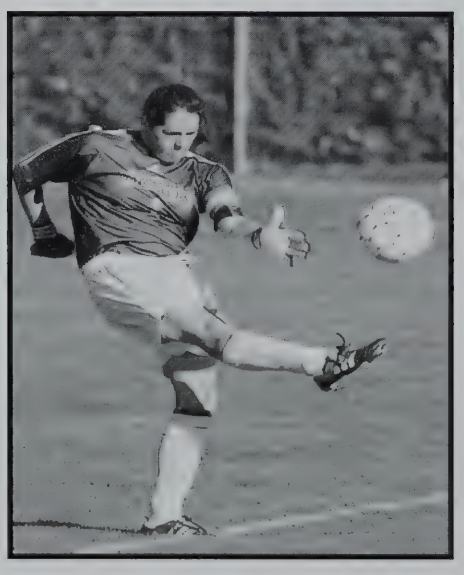


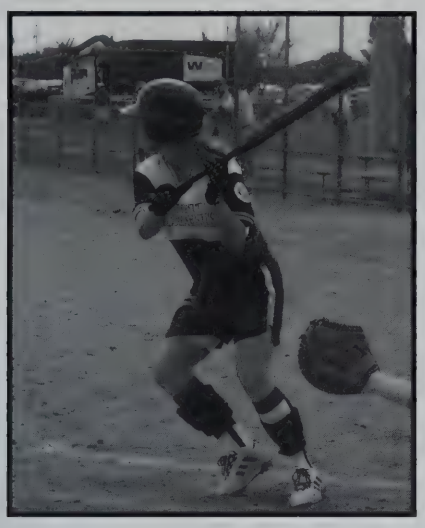
Men's Soccer





Women's Soccer







Softball





Men's Swimming

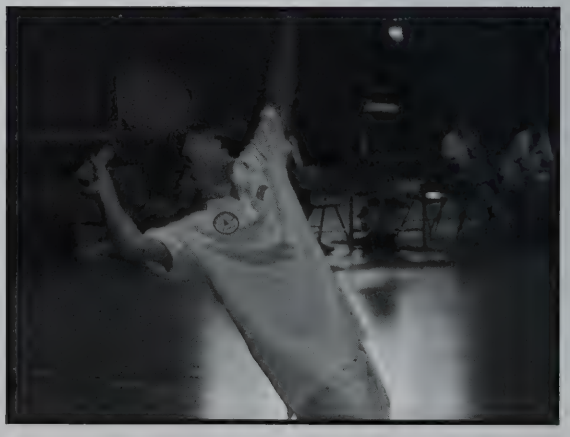
Women's Swimming





Men's Tennis









Women's Tennis





Volleyball






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"Don't walk in front of me,

I may not follow.

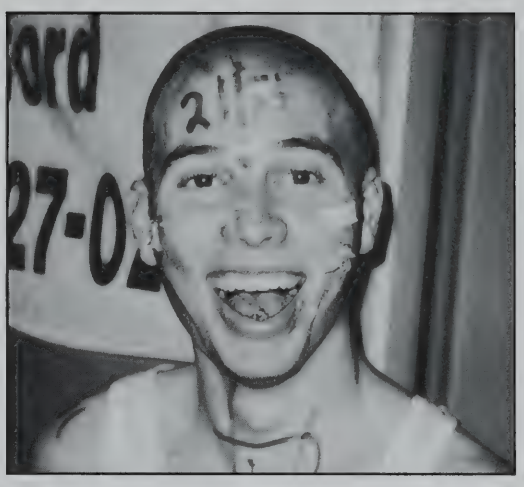
Don't walk behind me,

I may not lead.

Walk beside me and be my friend."

-Albert Camas























Don't Quit

Don't quit when the tide is lowest,
For it is just about to turn;
Don't quit over doubts and questions,
For there is something you may learn.

Don't quit when the night is darkest,
For it's just a while 'til dawn;
Don't quit when you've run the farthest,
For the race is almost won.

Don't quit when the hill is steepest,
For your goal is almost nigh;
Don't quit, for you're not a failure,
Until you fail to try.

-Jill Wolf